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SUBJECT: FY 1976/TQ - P.L. 480 TITLE I - TANZANIA

- 1. TANZANIAN WASHINGTON AMBASSADOR BOMANI HAS APPROACHED USDA AND STATE/AF REQUESTING INCREASE IN VALUE OF JUNE 15, 1976 AGREEMENT IN ORDER PERMIT PURCHASE FULL 40,000 METRIC TONS CORN PROJECTED IN ORIGINAL AGREEMENT. PRICE OF CORN HAS INCREASED SLIGHTLY SINCE AGREEMENT SIGNING AND GOT HAS ONLY BEEN ABLE TO PURCHASE 36,000 METRIC TONS CORN WITH \$4.5 MILLION INCLUDED IN AGREEMENT.
- 2. WE ARE NOW SEEKING INTERAGENCY CLEARANCE TO INCREASE VALUE OF AGREEMENT BY AMOUNT NECESSARY TO PURCHASE ADDITIONAL 4,000 METRIC TONS (APPROXIMATELY \$0.5 MILLION). IF LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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INTERAGENCY AGREEMENT OBTAINED, YOU WILL THEN BE REQUIRED

TO AMEND CURRENT AGREEMENT THROUGH EXCHANGE OF NOTES WITH GOT.

- 3. BECAUSE OF TANZANIAN URGENT FOOD NEED, FAST APPROACHING END OF TRANSITIONAL QUARTER AND PROCUREMENT/SHIPPING ARRANGEMENTS ALREADY MADE, WE ARE PUSHING FOR PROMPT INTERAGENCY CLEARANCE. BARRING UNFORESEEN DIFFICULTIES YOU SHOULD BE RECEIVING TEXT OF PROPOSED NOTE TO GOT BY EARLY NEXT WEEK.
- 4. WE ASSUME COUNTRY TEAM HAS NO OBJECTION TO PROPOSED AMENDMENT. IF YOU DO HAVE PROBLEMS, PLEASE ADVISE BY IMMEDIATE CABLE. YOU MAY ADVISE GOT OF ABOVE DEVELOPMENTS. KISSINGER

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